



Janet L. Craig-Barnes

November 17, 1963 - January 15, 2012

Janet L. Craig-Barnes, 48, passed away at 8:46 p.m. Sunday January 15, 2012 at Freeman West Hospital. She was born November 17, 1963 in Carthage, MO. Janet was a lifetime area Carthage Resident. She was the daughter of Rex Holley and Bea "Johnson" Holley. Janet was employed at Freeman Health Systems for several years. She was a member of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Cherokee Descendants. Janet was united in marriage to Richard Barnes on May 11, 1999 in Miami, Oklahoma. He survives. Janet is survived by one son, Clay Craig of Carthage, one step-daughter, Diana Wood and husband Virgil of Webb City, one brother Scott Holley of Carthage, two aunts, Mary Lou Teel and husband Steve and Sandy Simmons and husband Ray all of Carthage, one grandson, Tyler Benford of Webb City, one nephew Dustin Holley of Carthage, one great nephew, Gavin Holley. Janet was preceded in death by her parents and one niece, Brittany Holley in 1978, paternal grandparents, Warren Holley and Lucille Holley Anderson and maternal grandparents, Albert and Johana Johnson. A Celebration of life will be 6:30 p.m. Thursday, January 19, 2012 at Ulmer Funeral Home Chapel. Contributions may be made to American Lung Association in care of the Ulmer Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

RG

“ I was at the service with this poem in hand but couldn't bring myself to read it aloud. I'd still like to share it with you.

God Saw You Getting Tired

*God saw you getting tired, When a cure was not to be. So He wrapped his arms around you, and whispered, "come to me."
You didn't deserve what you went through, So He gave you rest.
God's garden must be beautiful, He only takes the best.
And when I saw you sleeping, So peaceful and free from pain I could not wish you back To suffer that again.*

Robin Grisso - January 21, 2012 at 01:22 PM

VS

“ Jan was a beautiful person with a wonderful spirit. Her family is in my thoughts and prayers.

Valerie Stevens - January 19, 2012 at 04:50 PM

KM

“ I have missed working and playing with Jan. We used to go to lunch and talk about work and family and the things gal pals do. I remember how much she loved McDonalds hashbrowns and honey-buns. Sometimes she would get extras for me too. It seems like a small thing, but it's a memory of how giving she was and how she did a lot of little things to make everyone else happy. I will miss her.
With deepest sympathy, Katherine

Katherine Mays - January 19, 2012 at 04:47 PM

JP

“ My thoughts are prayers go out to the family. Janet and I went all the way back to grade school...she will be missed.

Jackie Cormier Patterson - January 18, 2012 at 09:28 PM

BW

“ We are very sad to hear of your loss. Jan loved life and you deeply. We can only imagine how much you will miss her. You were a very caring and devoted husband. Our prayers are with you as always.

Buddy and Diane Wiggins - January 18, 2012 at 10:31 AM

MW

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Mikell Warren - January 17, 2012 at 06:25 PM

DB

“ "When someone you know becomes a memory, their memory becomes a treasure." Author Unknown
Although we only knew her for a few years, she will always be a treasure in our hearts. Debbie and Mark Bickert

Debbie and Dr. Mark Bickert - January 17, 2012 at 05:17 PM

VR

“ My family and I wish to pay our condolences to the family and relatives and friends of Janet.
Rest in Peace Jan, you will be missed.

Vince Rush - January 17, 2012 at 02:51 PM

KC

“ Sorry for your loss Richard I know Jan meant the world to you. I will be thinking about you and I know it's a tough time but you'll be ok and know you have a good support group around you. If you need anything let me know.
God Bless, Kevin Cambers

Kevin Cambers - January 17, 2012 at 08:28 AM

MP

“ So Sorry For Your Loss, My thoughts an prayers are with you during this time.

mike pippin - January 17, 2012 at 07:31 AM

BW

“ We will always love you cousin Jan. Rest in peace.

Barbie Wright Womack - January 16, 2012 at 08:28 PM

KB

“ Richard and family, Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Karen and Steve Boyd - January 16, 2012 at 07:03 PM

JJ

“ We just wanted to say how very sorry we were to hear that Jan had to give up her life....and that much too soon.
Wish we could come and be with you, but health and circumstances just don't permit our doing so, but our thoughts and prayers are with you now and always.....We would very much like to always stay in touch.

Uncle Jess and Charlotte

Jess and Charlotte Johnson - January 16, 2012 at 06:56 PM